

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.

In Re Application Of: Jonathan Nagel

Serial No. 10/057,666 Filing Date January 25, 2002

Examiner

## Group Art Unit

### Invention:

## FAULT TOLERANT OPTICAL AMPLIFIER CONFIGURATION USING PUMP FEEDTHROUGH

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**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 7, 2003 above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month  Two months  Three months  Four months  Five months

from: October 7, 2003 *Date* until: November 7, 2003 *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
  - The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-2121
  - If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-2121

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on November 7, 2003 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. I *AA*

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